



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application. No. : 09/819,072  
Applicant : JOERG GIESLER, ET AL.  
Filed : October 11, 2001  
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Examiner : Joseph S. Leyson

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Docket No. : 658/49679CO  
Customer No. : 23911

Commissioner for Patents  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby requests that the period to take action in the above-captioned application be extended by one month pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

A check in the amount of \$110.00 is submitted herewith in payment of the required extension fee. This amount is believed to be correct, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket 080334.49679CO). A duplicate copy of this letter is attached.

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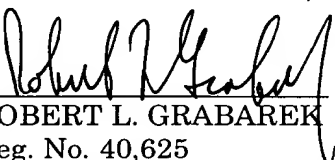
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